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## ~MEDIA ADVISORY~

## KEN KESEY MURAL PROJECT DEDICATION EVENT FRIDAY, AUGUST 28 AT 5:30

Celebrate the return of Springfield's Ken Kesey this Friday, August 28 starting at 5:30 in Downtown Springfield. Fourth and Main Street will be closed for a block party and dedication ceremony. This is a free community event.

The event starts at 5:30 with an address from Mayor Lundberg and the Kesey family. After the unveiling, enjoy music from the Green Mountain Bluegrass Band.

- \*Plus an appearance from Furthur and booths from Plank Town Brewery and more!
- \*Free Commemorative posters for the first 200 guests
- \*Free Voodoo Donuts (Easy Pesey Lemon Kesey) \*while supplies last

Until then, community members are welcome to view the installation (running through August 27).

## **Background:**

The photo-realistic, two-story mural with input from the Kesey family, will be installed on the east side of the Odd Fellows Building at 346 Main Street (which currently houses Planktown Brewery). The mural encapsulates Ken's life in Springfield and beyond.

